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To: Mayor and Town Council

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Re: November Administrative Repor

In addition to administrative functions, the following are November highlights:

- FY2019 financial audit field work was completed. The audit reports will be prepared, then presented at a future council meeting.
- Met with Town Engineer on the status of projects.
- Posted notices for the annual property value appeal process and hearing.
- Attended the monthly Sussex County Association of Towns and its Steering Committee meetings.
- Town of Milton, Home Town series segment on Delmarva Life, aired November 14th.
- Met with DelDOT on intersection concerns.
- Conducted interviews for Project Coordinator and Town Clerk.
- Administrative staff attended annual records retention training.
- Began advertisements for a Public Works Operator position.
- Attended ground breaking at the Milton Fire Department.
- Continued organization and oversight of Town projects and administrative matters.

## Status of Projects:

- Milton Rails to Trails, Phase II (Federal Street to Lavinia Street) DelDOT awarded the project.
- Town Comprehensive Plan: Working on Code updates, as required in the first 18 months after certification.
- Wagamons Water Main Extension -Waiting for finalized project as-builts and documents to close the project.
- Shipbuilders Well and Treatment Facility -Water treatment plant plans are being finalized.
- Magnolia Street / Municipal Parking Lot drainage (including bulkhead): Evaluating the revsed Bulkhead analysis report.
- Sidewalk Repairs Greg has compiled a list of sidewalks in need of repair; revisions were made. Letters of violation will be mailed February.
- Purchasing Procedure Finance Committee will forward to Mayor and Town Council once ready for adoption. Finance Committee is preparing to proceed with the creation of a capital purchase policy and procedure.
- Community Impact Fee Study No update this month.
- Atlantic Avenue (from Union Street to Country Road) and Chestnut Street (from Front Street to Coulter Street) water main, valve, corporation and town service line replacement The Town

was awarded the USDA grant for the preparation of the planning and project engineers report. Additional locates were needed to finalize engineer design plans.

- Atlantic Street water main upgrades Final engineer design plans are in progress.
- Information technology and cyber security assessment Final report complete; will be working with the Town's Information Technology manager to develop needed policies and procedures. I will continue to review recommendations and implement what is achievable by Milton.
- ADA Transition Plan and Self-Assessment Report coordinating efforts with University of Delaware, Center for Transportation, for assistance and development of required plans. Funding was approved in the FY2019 Town budget and being carried into FY2020.
- Homeland Security Grant for security improvements in the Lobby area at Town Hall: grant received, but have not started design plans. Anticipated to begin design in the upcoming months.